MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1934.

A total of 30 attacks with 15 deaths from Plague was reported during the week against 8 attacks with 3 deaths in the previous week. Mysore City and Kolar Gold Fields Area reported 2 attacks with 2 deaths and 1 attack with 1 death respectively, while Bangalore City remained free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1933 and 1932 were 39 attacks with 26 deaths and 11 attacks with 8 deaths, respectively.

One hundred and twenty-eight attacks with 16 deaths from Small-pox were reported (for the whole State) from one village in each of Chikmagalur, Chickballapur, Sidlaghatta, Chintamani, Malur and Nanjangud Taluks ; two villages in each of Hunsur and Malvalli Taluks ; five villages from Molakalmuru Taluk and from Devanhalli, Molakalmuru, Chickballapur, Hosanagar, Sagar and Tumkur Towns and from the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Fields Area.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 88, representing a calculated annual ratio of 24·02 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 26·69 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Small-pox 2 Broncho Pneumonia 3, Pneumonia 9, Typhoid 2, other Fevers 1, Phthisis 7, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 15, and all other causes 49.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 67 deaths representing a calculated annual ratio of 23·58 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 20·79 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered 7 under Broncho Pneumonia, 3 under Pneumonia, 1 under other Fevers, 1 under Phthisis, 11 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 44 under all other causes.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 40, representing a calculated annual ratio of 18·09 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 13·85 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under Plague, 1 under Malaria, 2 under Broncho Pneumonia, 1 under Pneumonia, 5 under Phthisis, 8 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 21 under all other causes.

There were 48 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Fields Area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 29·63 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 27·69 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Plague 1, Small-pox 2, other Fevers 7, Phthisis 2, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 10, and all other causes 26.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 16th June 1934.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor, per palla ...	100	246	10 8 0 to 12 4 0	...	8 to 9 seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna, per palla.	100	246	.....	No stock	
	Dharapur, per palla ...	100	246	.....	Do	
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	9 8 0 to 10 8 0	...	9½ to 10 ,,
	Alubbalu, per palla ...	100	246	.....	No stock	
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black), per cartload.	640	...	21 0 0 to 23 0 0	...	24 to 26 ,,
	Superior (Red), per cartload.	640	...	24 0 0 to 25 0 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	9 to 10 ,,
Tur Dal ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6 to 7½ ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6½ to 8½ ,,
Avare Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	5½ to 6½ ,,
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26½	3 8 0	...	Re. 0-1-6 per seer
	Castor oil ...	...	28	3 10 0	...	,, 0-1-6 per seer
Oil seeds ...	Gingelly or Til seeds, per candy.	255	...	25 0 0 to 30 0 0		
	Castor seed, per candy	255	...	19 0 0 to 20 0 0		
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	3 3 0 to 3 8 0	...	Re. 0-6-3 to 0-7-0 per viss.
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	3 0 0	...	
Jaggery ...	Achu	...	28	1 6 0 to 1 10 0	...	,, 0-3-6 to 0-4-0 per viss.
	Oonde	...	28	1 4 0 to 1 8 0	...	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26½	17 0 0 to 17 8 0	...	Rs. 2-4-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 0 0	...	14 seers per rupee.

BANGALORE
Dated 18th June 1934.

V. VENKATACHAR,
For *Director.*